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PATENT APPLICATION FEE DETERMINATION RECORD

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CLAIMS AS FILED - PART I

	(Column 1)	(Column 2)
TOTAL CLAIMS	19	
FOR	NUMBER FILED	NUMBER EXTRA
TOTAL CHARGEABLE CLAIMS	19 minus 20 =	0
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	1 minus 3 =	0
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM PRESENT <input type="checkbox"/>		

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CLAIMS AS AMENDED - PART II

	(Column 1)	(Column 2)	(Column 3)
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Independent	1	Minus *** 3	= -
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM <input type="checkbox"/>			

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AMENDMENT B	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA
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AMENDMENT C	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA
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SMALL ENTITY

TYPE ☐

OR OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY

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BASIC FEE	385.00	OR	BASIC FEE	770.00
XS 9=		OR	XS18=	
X43=		OR	X86=	
+145=		OR	+290=	
TOTAL		OR	TOTAL	770

SMALL ENTITY OR OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY

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XS 9=		OR	XS18=	
X43=		OR	X86=	
+145=		OR	+290=	
TOTAL		OR	TOTAL	
ADDIT. FEE		OR	ADDIT. FEE	

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XS 9=		OR	XS18=	
X43=		OR	X86=	
+145=		OR	+290=	
TOTAL		OR	TOTAL	
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X43=		OR	X86=	
+145=		OR	+290=	
TOTAL		OR	TOTAL	
ADDIT. FEE		OR	ADDIT. FEE	

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IN RE APPLICATION OF

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APPLICATION NO: 10/690,652

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ATRP POLYMERS

Group Art Unit: 1714

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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated September 7, 2005, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted for entry and consideration. The Action set a 3 month shortened statutory period for response, making this paper originally due December 7, 2005. A petition requesting a one month extension making this paper due at a time up to and including January 7, 2006 is attached. As January 7, 2006 is a Saturday this reply is filed within the time frame requested in the petition.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any necessary fee or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 03-1935.

Further, the combination of Spinelli, US 5,772,741 and Matyjaszewski, US 6,063,834 does not disclose the preparation of pigment dispersions wherein no organic solvents are present. Such a composition is one the advantages of the processes of the present invention.

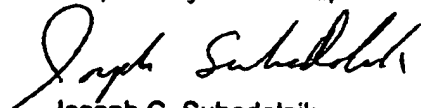
Applicants respectfully submit that the rejections of claims 1-17 under 35 USC 103(a) over Spinelli, US 5,772,741 and Matyjaszewski, US 6,063,834 are addressed and are overcome and kindly ask that these rejections be withdrawn.

Applicants further respectfully submit that the addition of Zhu, 5,889,083 disclosing ink compositions fails to compensate for the shortcomings of the Spinelli, US 5,772,741 and Matyjaszewski, US 6,063,834 as discussed above. Applicants therefore kindly ask that the 35 USC 103(a) over Spinelli, US 5,772,741, Matyjaszewski, US 6,063,834 and Zhu, 5,889,083 of claim 19 be withdrawn.

As there are no other rejections or objections, Applicants respectfully request that all objections and rejections be withdrawn and kindly ask that claims 1, 4-14, 17 and 19 be found allowable in their present form.

In the event that minor amendments will further prosecution, Applicants request that the examiner contact the undersigned representative.

Respectfully submitted,



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